Long Duration Snowfall Thursday into Friday



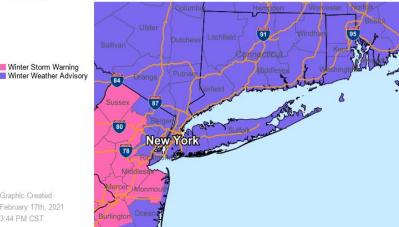
OVERVIEW

- A Winter Weather Advisory has been issued for Thursday morning through Friday afternoon.
- A long duration light to moderate snow event is expected Thursday into Friday.



Winter Storm Warning

Winter Watches Warnings and Advisories



- A light to moderate snowfall is likely Thursday , with periods of light snow or wintry mix continuing Thursday Night into Friday.
- A widespread 3-6" of snow is expected by Thursday Eve, with an additional 1-3" Thursday night into Friday, totaling 5-9" for much of the area by Friday evening.
- A light glaze of ice is possible for NYC/NJ metro and NW LI Thursday Night into Friday Morning.
- Snow covered roads, poor visibilities, and hazardous travel are expected for the Thursday morning and evening commutes, and possible for the Friday morning and evening commutes.

TIMING & LOCATION

HAZARDS & IMPACTS

- Snow will overspread the area between 6 and 10 am Thursday morning from west to east. Up to 1" of snow is possible for NYC metro, NE NJ and Lower Hud by 8am.
- Heaviest snow likely occurs late Thursday morning into the late afternoon, with snowfall rates of up to 1"/hr possible.
- Snow becomes light Thursday Eve. Light snow may change to a light wintry mix for LI and the NYC/NJ metro Thursday Eve/Night.
- Periods of light snow are expected to continue well into Friday, ending from west to east Friday Aft into Eve.

NWS ALERTS

Winter Weather Advisory is in effect early Thursday AM through Friday PM.

CHALLENGES FORECAST

- Banding could result in locally heavier snowfall amounts (6-8") during the day on Thursday. This will have to refined as the event unfolds Thursday morning.
- Snowfall amounts Thursday night and Friday will depend on track and timing of low pressure. A track farther south and east than current forecast would result in little to no accumulation during that period.

NEXT BRIEF

■ By 6 AM Thursday.

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Expected Snowfall - Official NWS Forecast Valid: 02/18/2021 01:00 AM - 02/20/2021 01:00 AM





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Probabilistic NWS New York Snowfall Forecasts



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High End Amount - 1 in 10 Chance (10%) Of Higher Snowfall
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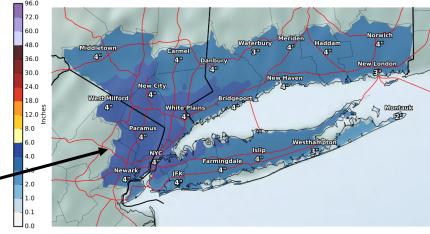


Snow amounts would be closer to these levels in spots if there is no mixed precipitation, or if heavier snow banding develops and persists.

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Snow amounts would be closer to these levels in spots if there is more mixed precipitation for the coast, or if heavier snow banding does not develop over the region.

Low End Amount - 9 in 10 Chance (90%) Of Higher Snowfall



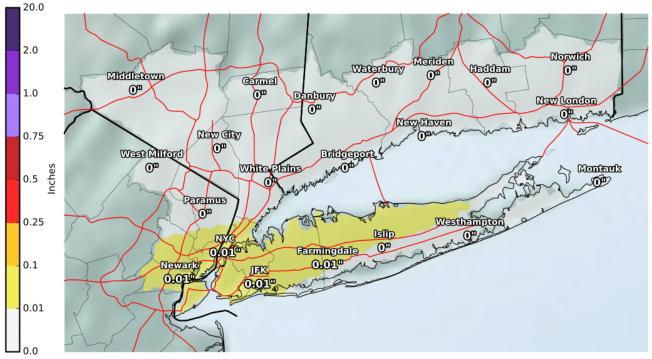


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